GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services - Planning Department – Disciplinary Matters – Sri K. Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director, Planning Department, the then Director (Admin), Andhra Pradesh State Development Planning Society, Vijayawada and Chief Executive Officer (FAC), Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada (Presently waiting for posting) - Certain Lapses in according administrative sanctions for several Projects / Works without approval and intimation to the Competent Authority – Suspension from Service – Orders – Issued.

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PLANNING (III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.34 **Dated:12.03.2025.**

Read:

From the Chief Executive Officer (FAC), Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada, Lr.No.79/SAPF/PLG.Dept./2024-25, dt:07.03.2025.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, the Chief Executive Officer, Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada in the reference read above, has informed that, Sri.S.Seshadri, Program Officer in his Lr, dt:07.03.2025 has informed that the following works (at random identified) were sanctioned under Corporate Social Responsibility by Sri K.Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director - Planning Department & Chief Executive Officer, Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation at Chief Executive Officer level without approval or even intimation to the Principal Secretary to Government, Planning Department.

S. No	Proceeding No.	Name of the Project/ Work	Project / Work Cost	Name of Executing Agency	Name of the Corporate body / Donor funded
1.	Letter No.54/SAPF/SEIL ENERGY INDIA LIMITED/STEM-LABORATORIEs/2025, Dated.06.02.2025	Supply of 50 STEM kits to establish Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Laboratory to promote experiential learning in Government schools in SPSR Nellore.	Rs.93,07,633/-	SAPF through M/s.Vijayavani Printers, Chittoor.	M/s.SEIL Energy India Limited.
2.	SAPF Procs No.04/CTA/CSR-SCI/MED-EQP/2024, Dated.14.06.2024	Supply of PROBADATLAS ULTRA PORTABLE X-RAY SYSTEM with AI and Accessories, including TRUELAB QUATTRO REAL TIME MICRO PCR WORKSTATION (2 Units)	Rs.80,00,000/-	SAPF through M/s. Krishna District Marketing Cooperative Society Limited (KDCMS)	The Shipping Corporation of India Limited
3.	SAPF P.O.No.45/CTA/COHANCE/PATIENTS NUTRITION KITS/2024, dated.14.03.2024	Procurement of 11110 Nutritional Kits to 5555 TB Patients in 11 Districts.	Rs.78,00,000/-	SAPF through M/s. SRRE City, Vijayawada	M/s. Cohance Lifesciences.

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4.	Proc.No.04/ CTA/CSR-IOCL/2024-1, Dated.12.04 .2024	Procurement of 1 Anganwadi Play Equipment to Vidhyanagar Center Vinukonda Urban, Palnadu District.	Rs.56,45,720/-	SAPF through M/s. Krishna District Marketing Cooperative Society Limited (KDCMS)	M/s. Indian Oil Corporation Limited.

2. And whereas, disciplinary proceedings against Sri K. Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director, Planning Department, the then Director (Admin), Andhra Pradesh State Development Planning Society, Vijayawada and Chief Executive Officer (FAC), Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada (Presently waiting for posting) are contemplated.

3. And whereas, the Government, after careful consideration of the available material and having due regard to the circumstances of the case, are satisfied that it is necessary to place Sri K. Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director, Planning Department, the then Director (Admin), Andhra Pradesh State Development Planning Society, Vijayawada and Chief Executive Officer (FAC), Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada (Presently waiting for posting) under suspension.

4. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of Rule 8 of A.P. Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991, the Government, hereby, place the said Sri K. Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director, Planning Department, the then Director (Admin), Andhra Pradesh State Development Planning Society and Chief Executive Officer (FAC), Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada (Presently waiting for posting) under suspension from the date of communication of this order and he shall continue to be under suspension until the conclusion of the disciplinary proceedings.

5. It is further ordered that during the period this order remains in force, the headquarters of Sri K. Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director, Planning Department, the then Director (Admin), Andhra Pradesh State Development Planning Society, Vijayawada and Chief Executive Officer (FAC), Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada (Presently waiting for posting) shall be Vijayawada and he shall not leave the headquarters without obtaining the previous permission of the Government.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

PEEYUSH KUMAR,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC).

To:
Sri K. Siva Sankara Rao, Joint Director
through the Director, Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Vijayawada.
The Director, Director, Directorate of Economics and Statistics, Vijayawada.
The Chief Executive Officer, Smart Andhra Pradesh Foundation, Vijayawada
The Chief Executive Officer,
Andhra Pradesh State Development Planning Society, Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The OSD to Hon'ble Minister (Finance & Planning)
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government (FAC),
Planning Department
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER